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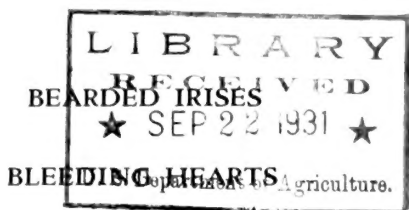
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# Special Trade Catalog

AUTUMN, 1931.



JAPANESE IRISES

PEONIES

LILIUMS

FUNKIA

HEMEROCALLIS

Less 20% Discount On Order  
of  
\$10.00 or over

## John Lewis Childs

Incorporated

FLOWERFIELD,

Long Island, N. Y.

# TERMS

Orders from unknown parties must be accompanied with cash or with satisfactory reference.

All bills due 30 days net. 3 per cent. cash with order. 2 per cent. in 15 days.

Less than 6 of a kind 1-10 of a Dozen price, 6 at Dozen rate, 25 at Hundred rate, 250 at Thousand rate.

No discount on orders or invoices under \$10.00.

Prices are F. O. B. Flowerfield, L. I., N. Y., fifty miles from New York City.

All goods travel at risk of consignee.

Please advise us how you want order shipped.

Boxes and packing extra at cost.

Prices subject to change without notice.

# Bearded Irises

	Per Doz.	Per 100
Afterglow .....	.60	\$4.00
Albert Victor .....	.50	3.50
Alcazar .....	.60	4.00
Amas .....	.60	4.00
Arlequin Melanais .....	.60	4.00
Aurea .....	.60	4.00
Blue Jay .....	.60	4.00
Celeste .....	.60	4.00
C. Wedge .....	.60	4.00
Cyhriana Superba .....	.60	4.00
Darius .....	.60	4.00
Dauphin .....	.60	4.00
Dolphin .....	.60	4.00
Dr. Bernice .....	.60	4.00
Fairy .....	.60	4.00
Florentina Alba .....	.60	4.00
Florentina Blue .....	.60	4.00
Fritjof .....	1.00	6.00
Gertrude .....	.60	4.00
Gorgeous .....	.60	4.00
Grachus .....	.60	4.00
Halfdan .....	.60	4.00
Hector .....	.60	4.00
Helge .....	.60	4.00
Innocenza .....	.75	5.00
Iris King .....	1.20	8.00
Ivorine .....	.60	4.00
James Boyd .....	.60	4.00
Khedive .....	.60	4.00
Kochi .....	.60	4.00
La Beaute .....	.60	4.00
La Vesure .....	.60	4.00
Lent A. Williamson .....	.60	4.00
Lohengrin .....	.75	5.00
Lord Wolseley .....	.85	6.00
Mandraliscae .....	.60	4.00
Mme. Chereau .....	.60	4.00
Mme. de Sevigne .....	.60	4.00
Monsignor .....	.60	4.00
Mrs. Alen Gray .....	.60	4.00
Pallida Australis .....	.60	4.00
Pallida Speciosa .....	.60	4.00
Pauline .....	.60	4.00
Plumeri .....	.60	4.00
Pocahontas .....	.75	5.00
Princess Victoria Louise .....	.60	4.00
Prosper Laugier .....	.60	4.00
Pumila, The Bride .....	.60	4.00
Queen Alexander .....	.60	4.00
Queen of May .....	1.00	7.00
Rhein Nixe .....	.60	4.00
Sherwin Wright .....	.50	4.00
Violacea Grandiflora .....	.60	4.00

# Japanese Irises

## NEW VARIETIES

### OUR OWN INTRODUCTIONS

We are, probably, the world's largest growers of Japanese Irises.

25 at 100 rate; 250 at 1,000 rate.

	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
<b>Alagoz</b> —Dbl. Outer petals true purple, inner petals white with their tips exquisitely shaded purple .....	7.00	50.00	
<b>Bokhara</b> —Sgl. Phlox purple, yellow blotch in center edged blue. Wavy petals .....	3.00	24.00	200.00
<b>Chutsai</b> —Sgl. Hortense violet veined white. Inner petals phlox purple .....	3.00	24.00	200.00
<b>Ispahan</b> —Dbl. Phlox purple veined white— .....	3.00	24.00	
<b>Kha Khan</b> —Sgl. White suffused blue, purple stigmas. Extra fine and large ..	3.00	24.00	200.00
<b>Mongol Khan</b> —Sgl. Deep rosy-red. Extra large .....	3.00	24.00	
<b>Repsime</b> —Dbl. Blue veined white ..	3.00	24.00	200.00
<b>Sadarabad</b> —Sgl. White overcast with pale phlox pink .....	3.00	24.00	
<b>Subotai</b> —Sgl. Rosy-red. Very good— .....	3.00	24.00	200.00
<b>Tartar Prince</b> —Sgl. Rosy-crimson, white veins, blue halo, high stigmas .....	3.00	24.00	
<b>Temple Flower</b> —Sgl. Ivory white heavily blended with soft bluish-violet. Veined white. Inner petals white edged phlox pink ....	3.00	24.00	
<b>Yama Yama</b> —Sgl. White overlaid blue. Center petals white and purple. Crinkled appearance .....	3.00	24.00	200.00

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**Betty F. Holmes**

Introduced 1929—Childs

New pure white double Japanese Iris. Compared to Gold Bound; the flowers are larger with lemon yellow midrib; instead of orange yellow. The foliage is a deeper green, and more graceful. A distinct improvement over Gold Bound. Heretofore the best white Japanese Iris. Per dozen, \$7.00; per 100, \$50.00.

## GENERAL LIST OF Japanese Irises

	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
<b>Agnes Reed</b> —Sgl. (Seedling No. 84.) Falls mulberry purple with halo of royal purple. Standard hematoxin violet shading lighter at base .....	3.50	24.00	200.00
<b>Amethyst</b> —Sgl. Very large wavy petals exquisite lavender shade .....	3.50	24.00	200.00
<b>Azure</b> —Dbl. Immense flower, exquisitely wavy. Mauve blue with darker halo around the yellow blotch at base of petals .....	3.00	20.00	
<b>Bashu No Ten</b> —Gray veined with blue—	3.00	24.00	
<b>Betty Jean Childs</b> —Sgl. (Seedling No. 82.) White faintly splashed and veined phlox purple or the new beautiful shade of orchid color; petaloids deeper shade .....	3.50	24.00	200.00
<b>Blue Bird</b> —Sgl. Deep violet blue .....	3.00	24.00	
<b>Blue Danube</b> —Dbl. Deep indigo blue, violet shadings center yellow .....	2.16	18.00	150.00
<b>Carlton Childs</b> —Sgl. Ivory white veined plum. Inner petals pink .....	1.80	12.00	100.00
<b>Catherine Parry</b> —Dbl. (Seedling No. 81.) Blue overlaid rosy-red, high tufts in center almost triple .....	1.80	12.00	100.00
<b>Caroline G. Childs</b> —Sgl. White veined blue violet. Inner petals purple and white ...	3.50	24.00	
<b>Choseiden</b> —Dbl. Ruby crimson, white halo surrounds the yellow blotches radiating into broad lines. Petaloid stigmas light violet .....	2.60	18.00	150.00
<b>Clarice Childs</b> —Sgl. (Seedling No. 26.) Petunia violet, conspicuous yellow center surrounded with blue cast. Large .....	3.50	24.00	
<b>Daisy Herrington</b> —Sgl. (Seedling No. 110.) Pinkish-blue, veined purple .....	3.50	24.00	200.00
<b>Delight</b> —Dbl. Soft light blue, penciled white with yellow center .....	3.00	24.00	
<b>Della</b> —Sgl. Light to pale wisteria violet .....	1.80	12.00	
<b>Doris Childs</b> —Dbl. (Seedling No. 43.) Pearl white deeply veined rosy plum. Center petals deep plum edged white .....	3.50	24.00	200.00
<b>Eclair</b> —Dbl. White veined blue, throat amber—	3.00	24.00	
<b>Eleanor Parry</b> —Dbl. (Seedling No. 59.) Claret red, flamed white and blue. Compact medium size flower. Good .....	3.50	24.00	200.00

## IRISES—Continued

	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
<b>Ethel J. Marshall</b> —Sgl. (Seedling No. 190.) Ivory white splashed and veined dull violet blue petaloids aconite violet edged white, stigmas ivory white and splashed with violet cast 3.50 24.00 200.00			
<b>Frances E. Cleveland</b> —Semi-Dbl. (Seedling No. 56.) Blue, very large ..... 3.50 24.00 200.00			
<b>Gekka No Nami</b> —Dbl. Pure white with yellow blotches ..... 3.50 24.00 200.00			
<b>Gold Bound</b> —Dbl. Pure white, one of the best 1.80 12.00 100.00			
<b>Grace Sperling</b> —Sgl. Hortense violet; petaloid stigmas light hortense violet. Very early— 2.60 18.00 150.00			
<b>Helen Wells</b> —Sgl. Amethyst violet, inner petals phlox purple ..... 2.60 18.00 150.00			
<b>Indo</b> —Sgl. Broad wavy petals of great size, Color dark rich blue only slightly veined. Yellow central blotch unusually bright— 1.80 12.00 100.00			
<b>Jeannette Parry</b> —Sgl. (Seedling No. 200.) White suffused with lines of bluish violet, petaloid stigmas amethyst violet ..... 1.80 12.00 100.00			
<b>John Francis</b> —Sgl. Lavender mauve, with blue shades ..... 3.00 24.00			
<b>John Lewis Childs II</b> —Sgl. (Seedling No. 72.) White lightly veined blue. High center petals delicate mauve and blue ..... 2.60 18.00 150.00			
<b>Josephine Heywood</b> —Sgl. (Seedling No. 172.) Blue with purple sheen ..... 3.50 24.00 200.00			
<b>Kamata</b> —Sgl. Sky blue with white veins, very distinct ..... 4.00 30.00			
<b>Koki No Iro</b> —Dbl. Purple edged blue and radi- ating white lines. Throat yellow— 3.00 20.00			
<b>Kumo No Obi</b> —Dbl. Sky blue. Distinct white lines on each petal ..... 2.60 18.00 150.00			
<b>Kuro Komo</b> —Dbl. Purple overlaid with dark blue. Yellow blotches, stigmas dark blue bor- dered purple ..... 2.60 18.00 150.00			
<b>La Favorite</b> —Dbl. Large, fine white, freely veined blue, and a rich purple center.... 2.60 18.00 150.00			
<b>Lilla Cox</b> —Dbl. Light blue white veins in center of flower with yellow blotches ... 3.00 20.00 180.00			
<b>Marjorie Parry</b> —Dbl. (Seedling No. 45.) Deli- cate light mauve, tufted center. Extra fine— 3.50 24.00 200.00			
<b>Mars</b> —Sgl. Reddish purple, striped and blotched white ..... 1.70 11.00 90.00			
<b>Mrs. George Stumpp</b> —Sgl. White with cast of blue ..... 2.69 18.00 150.00			



## IRISES—Continued

	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
<b>Mrs. J. Alexander Hayden</b> —Dbl. (Seedling No. 32.) White ground edged and shaded pale violet. Stigmas white slightly edged and tipped pale violet .....	2.00	12.00	100.00
<b>Mt. Hood</b> —Dbl. Light blue shaded darker. Bright orange center .....	2.69	18.00	
<b>Nomyi No Taki</b> —Dbl. White; splashed and shaded rose pink, a distinct and strikingly beautiful flower .....	3.00	24.00	
<b>Oriole</b> —Dbl. Rich vinous purple or plum color, shading from light to deep .....	2.60	18.00	
<b>Painted Lady</b> —Sgl. White, center blotched light phlox purple, tufts white, with phlox purple edge .....	2.60	18.00	150.00
<b>Pyramid</b> —Dbl. Violet purple, veined white in center of each petal .....	1.25	8.00	70.00
<b>Red Riding Hood</b> —Sgl. Fine amaranth veined and suffused white .....	2.00	12.00	
<b>Rose Anna</b> —Dbl. Ivory white heavy ruby-red veins, conspicuous yellow blotch, stigmas dark plum .....	2.00	15.00	140.00
<b>Rose H. Scheepers</b> —Dbl. (Seedling No. 78.) Mauve gray, overlaid blue .....	3.50	24.00	200.00
<b>Schenley</b> —Dbl. Rose-red, center of flowers overlaid blue with yellow blotches ..	3.50	24.00	200.00
<b>Senjo No Hara</b> —Dbl. Vinous purple speckled and splashed gray, primrose blotches radiating out into sky blue, petaloid stigmas purple stained gray .....	3.50	24.00	
<b>Shadow</b> —Sgl. Self color, reddish purple—	2.00	12.00	
<b>Taiheraku</b> —Dbl. Rich vinous purple with conspicuous yellow blotches tipped blue, radiating out into purple veins and feathers, petaloid stigmas, gray and lavender .....	1.25	8.00	70.00
<b>T. S. Ware</b> —Dbl. Reddish violet veined white. Center white marked lemon .....	2.60	18.00	150.00
<b>Violet Beauty</b> —Sgl. Pansy violet, conspicuous yellow blotch in center surrounded with blue cast .....	2.60	18.00	150.00
<b>Violet Herrington</b> —Dbl. (Seedling No. 220.) Bradley's violet, white veins, tufted center. Large. Dwarf .....	3.50	24.00	200.00

*Special Offer***JAPANESE IRISES**

5 each of 10 varieties — our choice— 50 plants .....	\$ 6.00
10 each of 10 varieties — our choice— 100 plants .....	10.00
25 each of 10 varieties — our choice— 250 plants .....	30.00
50 each of 10 varieties — our choice— 500 plants .....	40.00
100 each of 10 varieties — our choice—1000 plants .....	60.00

All good double and single varieties of our selection. We cannot, however, give names in advance at this special price, as we reserve the right to use varieties on hand when each order is received.

— Also —

**MIXED JAPANESE IRISES**

<b>Per 100</b>	<b>Per 1000</b>
\$6.00	\$50.00

**JAPANESE IRIS SEEDLINGS**

<b>Per 100</b>	<b>Per 1000</b>
\$5.00	\$40.00



# Peonies

	Per 10	Per 100
Albatre .....	\$2.50	\$22.00
Albert Crousse .....	3.00	25.00
Alexander Dumas .....	2.50	22.00
Alsace Lorraine .....	5.50	50.00
Asa Gray .....	4.50	35.00
Augustin D'Hour .....	4.50	35.00
Auguste Villaume .....	5.00	40.00
Baroness Schroeder .....	4.00	38.00
Boule de Neige .....	3.50	25.00
Carnea Elegans .....	5.00	40.00
Couronne D'Or .....	2.50	20.00
Dorchester .....	3.50	25.00
Duchess de Nemours .....	2.50	20.00
Edulis Superba .....	2.50	20.00
Emperor Nichols .....	4.00	30.00
Eugenie Verdier .....	2.50	20.00
Felix Crousse .....	3.50	32.00
Festiva Maxima .....	2.50	20.00
Frances Willard .....	12.00	100.00
German Bigot .....	3.50	25.00
Humei .....	3.00	20.00
James Kelway .....	5.00	40.00
Karl Rosenfield .....	4.00	35.00
La Coquette .....	5.00	40.00
Lady Bramwell .....	3.00	20.00
L'Indispensable .....	3.50	30.00
Livingstone .....	3.50	30.00
Lora Dexheimer .....	8.00	70.00
Marguerite Gerard .....	3.00	25.00
Marie Jacquin .....	3.00	25.00
Marie Lemoine .....	4.00	30.00
Mary Brand .....	7.00	60.00
Mlle. Desbuissons .....	4.50	40.00
Mlle. Leonie Calot .....	3.00	25.00
Mme. Calot .....	2.50	20.00
Mme. Chauny .....	6.00	50.00
Mme. Coste .....	2.50	20.00
Mme. Crousse .....	4.00	35.00
Mme. de Galhau .....	2.50	20.00
Mme. de Verneville .....	3.00	22.00
Mme. Emile Lemoine .....	4.00	35.00
Mme. Emile Galle .....	4.00	35.00
Mons. Jules Elie .....	4.00	35.00

## PEONIES—Continued

	Per 10	Per 100
Mons. Dupont .....	3.00	25.00
Mons. Krelage .....	3.50	30.00
Octavie Demay .....	3.50	30.00
Officinalis Alba Plena .....	3.50	30.00
Officinalis Rosea' Plena .....	4.00	35.00
Officinalis Rubra .....	4.00	35.00
Philomele .....	3.50	30.00
Queen Victoria .....	2.50	20.00
Reine Hortense .....	3.50	30.00
Rubra Superba .....	3.50	30.00
Rubra Triumphans .....	3.50	30.00
Sarah Bernhardt .....	9.00	80.00
Simonne Chevalier .....	3.50	30.00
Theresa .....	10.00	75.00
Triomphe De L'Esp De Lille .....	3.00	25.00
Triomphe Du Nord .....	3.00	25.00
Umbellata Rosea .....	3.50	30.00
Venus .....	4.00	35.00



# Liliums

## LILIUMS (Hardy)

We offer only native grown liliums. We, therefore, can supply bulbs early in the fall when lilies should be planted if they are to give satisfaction.

Poor results in growing hardy lilies are due, mainly, to two causes: First, the use of imported bulbs. These are not obtainable until too late for them to be planted and to become established in the ground before freezing weather. Second, the attempt to grow kinds and varieties that are not adapted to being grown here.

We confine our growing to those kinds and varieties that we know will succeed under a wide range of soil and climatic conditions and with only ordinary care.

## LILIUM CANDIDUM

### Long Island Grown

#### WE CAN DELIVER IN AUGUST

	Per 100	Per 1000
22—24 cm. ....	\$11.00	\$ 90.00
24—26 cm. ....	12.00	100.00

## LILIUM CANADENSE

An excellent lily for naturalizing as it prefers ground cover. Well adapted to woodlands, marshy soil and about the borders of lakes and pools.

(Delivery in October)

	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
L. Canadense Flavum—Height three to five feet, bell shaped golden flowers .....	1.20	8.50	75.00
L. Canadense Rubrum—A selected red form of the above .....	1.60	10.00	88.00

## LILIUM ELEGANS

These are very hardy dwarf Japanese lilies that thrive under most ordinary conditions. They are among the very best plants for the rock garden. They grow to a

**LILIUMS—Continued**

height of from one to two feet and bear large, beautiful flowers. The bulbs are from one inch to two inches in diameter.

(Delivery from Early September on)

	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
<b>Elegans Atrosanguineum</b> —Very dark red, deep crimson at center .....	1.70	12.00	100.00
<b>Elegans Aurantiacum Venum</b> —Very light yellow or pale salmon .....	1.70	12.00	100.00
<b>Elegans Best Red</b> —Dull red in color with dark spots .....	1.70	12.00	100.00
<b>Elegans Bicolor</b> —Orange edged scarlet—	1.70	12.00	100.00
<b>Elegans—LEONARD JOERG.</b> Apricot blended with rose .....	1.70	12.00	100.00
<b>Elegans Quilp</b> — Vermillion overspread with bright lustre .....	1.70	12.00	100.00
<b>Elegans Rosea</b> —Coral red and rose	1.70	12.00	100.00
<b>Elegans—Mixed</b> .....	1.20	8.00	70.00

**Lilium Hansoni**

One of the earliest to bloom, coming into flower in June or early in July. Attains a height of three to five feet; blossoms reflexed, color bright orange yellow, faintly spotted brown.

(Delivery in October)

	Per Doz.	Per 100
6" to 8" .....	7.50	55.00
4" to 6" .....	6.50	45.00

**Lilium Henryi**

Similar to the speciosums in form, height four to five feet. The beautiful orange flowers with their green band are very effective. Blooms in August and September.

(Delivery in October)

	Per Doz.	Per 100
9" to 11" .....	7.50	55.00
6" to 8" .....	6.50	44.00

## LILIUMS—Continued

## LILIUM PARDALINUM

(LEOPARD LILY)

Height four to six feet. Will thrive in thin woodlands or in full sunlight. Flowers bright orange spotted with crimson.

Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
2.00	13.00	120.00

## Lilium Regale

A splendid hardy lily for the garden. Flowering about July first.

	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
6" to 7" .....	2.88	20.00	180.00

## LILIUM SUPERBUM

Thrives in woodland or in the open, if given ground cover. Height, five to six feet, flowers five to forty, nodding brilliant red. Blooms in July.

(Delivery in October)

Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
1.60	10.00	88.00

## Lilium Tigrinum

**Tigrinum Splendens**—This variety is an improved and more robust form of lilium tigrinum.

	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
5" to 6" .....	1.50	9.00	80.00
4" to 5" .....	1.20	8.00	70.00

**Tigrinum Flore Pleno**—This is the only lily that has a double flower.

	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
4" to 5" .....	1.50	10.00	90.00
3" to 4" .....	1.20	8.00	70.00

**Tigrinum Mixed**—Double and single.

	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
5" to 6" .....	1.20	8.00	70.00
4" to 5" .....	1.00	7.00	60.00

## Speciosum Lilies

	Per Doz.	Per 100
<b>Magnificum</b> —A beautiful pure pink variety exceeding in beauty the famed Melpomene.	3.75	25.00
<b>Melpomene</b> —Words cannot describe the beauty of this variety. Frosted white, spotted clouded and bordered with pinkish crimson. Petals deeply recurved and widely ordered.	3.75	25.00
<b>Praecox or Album</b> —Large, perfect and beautiful. Frosted white, with a tinge of buff at the top of petals. The blush-like fringe in each petal adds to the beauty.	3.75	25.00
<b>Rubrum</b> —Deep rose, freely spotted crimson and mottled white. Perfectly exquisite	3.75	25.00

## DICENTRA SPECTABILIS

	Per Doz.	Per 100
<b>Bleeding Heart, or Seal Flower</b> —An old-fashioned favorite; its long racemes of graceful heart-shape flowers are always attractive. We offer strong undivided clumps	3.00	20.00

## FUNKIA, WHITE (Grandiflora)

Per Doz., \$1.75	Per 100, \$10.00
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## HEMEROCALLIS

	Per Doz.	Per 100
<b>Amaryllis</b> .....	\$ .85	\$6.00
<b>Gold Dust</b> .....	.60	4.50
<b>J. R. Mann</b> .....	1.00	8.00
<b>Lemon King</b> .....	1.00	8.00
<b>Mrs. J. R. Mann</b> .....	1.00	8.00
<b>The Gem</b> .....	.85	6.00

**Seedlings**—These furnish a wide range of colors in various shades of yellow, from almost white, through brightest gold and yellow to almost brown.

Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
\$ .60	4.50	40.00



# In Season

BEARDED IRISES

BLEEDING HEARTS

CANNAS

DAHLIAS

DELPHINIUMS

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HYACINTHUS CANDICANS

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